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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: L. Tran
YOSHINORI NAKAGAWA, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2853
Appln. No.: 10/649,640)	
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Filed: August 28, 2003)	
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For: INK JET PRINTING APPARATUS)	January 3, 2007
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P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Official Action dated October 2, 2006, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to amend the above-identified application as follows.